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Title: METHOD FOR MAKING RECOMBINANT PROTEINS

- 22 pages of specification 1 page of abstract
- 10 sheets of Formal Drawings 9 pages of Sequence Listing & Diskette
- 3 sheets of unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney

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